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GOV. EASLEY REAPPOINTS BRINSON, HOLMAN AND RYAN AND APPOINTS BUNCH AND HAGEVIK TO GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION COORDINATING COUNCIL

RALEIGH – Gov. Mike Easley has reappointed **Robert S. Brinson**, **Bill Holman** and **Jerry Ryan**, all of Raleigh, and appointed **Rodney Bunch** of Elizabeth City and **Rita Hagevik** of Wendell to the N.C. Geographic Information Coordinating Council.

Brinson is chief information officer for the N.C. Department of Correction. He has served as a member and chairman of the Criminal Justice Information Network Board. Brinson received his bachelor's degree in industrial engineering from N.C. State University (NCSU) and master's degree in business administration from the University of North Carolina (UNC) at Chapel Hill. He is also a licensed certified public accountant.

Holman is executive director for the Clean Water Management Trust Fund and is former secretary of the Department of Environment and Natural Resources. He has lobbied the General Assembly on behalf of the Conservation Council of North Carolina, N.C. Chapter of the Sierra Club, N.C. Chapter of the American Planning Association and others. He received his bachelor's degree in biology from NCSU.

Ryan is director of the U.S. Geological Survey Office in Raleigh. He is a member of the N.C. Geographic Information Council and chair of the Federal Information Committee. Ryan received his bachelor's degree in fish and wildlife biology from Iowa State University at Ames.

Bunch is assistant county manager for Pasquotank County. He received his associate's degree in drafting and design technology from College of the Albemarle and his bachelor's degree in accounting at Elizabeth City State University.

Hagevik is assistant professor of science education at N.C. A. & T. State University. She serves as a member of the N.C. Geographic Information Systems (GIS) in Education Consortium, the GIS state conference program committee and member of the National Association for Research in Science Teaching. Hagevik received her bachelor's degree in biology from Meredith College, her master's degree in science education and her doctorate degree in science education and forestry from NCSU.

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